FOR: TOBACCO INDUSTRY RESEARCH COMMITTEE

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## TOBACCO RESEARCH GROUP ADDS NEW SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATE

Appointment of Dr. J. Morrison Brady as an Associate Scientific Director of the Tobacco Industry Research Committee was announced today by Dr. Clarence Cook Little, Scientific Director.

Dr. Brady was previously Medical Director of the Muscular Dystrophy Association of America. In his new capacity, Dr. Brady will share with Dr. Little and Dr. Robert C. Hockett, Associate Scientific Director since 1954, the growing responsibility for administration of the TIRC's expanding program of grants-in-aid for research into tobacco use and human health.

A native of Marysville, Washington, Dr. Brady earned his M.D. degree and a Master of Science degree in Pathology at the Northwestern University Medical School. A Bachelor's degree in Zoology was taken at the University of Washington.

Following service as an officer in the Medical Corps, Dr. Brady engaged in the practice and teaching of surgery, in military medicine, hospital administration, public health and medical research in Tacoma, Wash., and Fresno County, Calif.

From 1956 to 1959 he was Assistant Director and Director of Medical Services for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

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He is an active member of such medical organizations as the American Medical Association, the Association of Military Surgeons, the American College of Hospital Administrators and the American Public Health Association.

He currently is commanding officer of an active Army Reserve medical unit.

With his family, Dr. Brady lives at 160 Cabrini Boulevard, New York City.